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For: METHOD, COMPUTER PROGRAM PRODUCT, AND) Unit: 2127
SYSTEM FOR CREATING FORM INDEPENDENT)
APPLICATIONS OPERATIVE ON IMS RESOURCES)

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Abstract:

Problem to be Solved: To reduce load on a user when retrieving and referring to image information.

Solution: A client 10 has a function for reading image information in a prescribed data format. A content discrimination information managing means 21 of an image information retrieving device 20 manages information to be referred to for specifying the contents of the image information managed by an image information server 30. When the retrieval request of the image information is received from a client 10, an image information retrieving means 22 retrieves the image information matched with that retrieving request based on content discrimination information and outputs a reference request to the image information server 30 for storing the detected image information. When the reference request is received from the image information retrieving means 22, an image information providing means 32 of the image

information server 30 extracts relevant image information 31a from an image information storage means 31 and transmits that image information 31a to the client 10.

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Abstract:

NOVELTY - The information control unit (101) links the related data between various applications stored by memory (103). The information *data* *linked* is also classified for easy reference.

DETAILED DESCRIPTION - The *information* *management* apparatus consists of an information processor (104) which provides information data (103b). The output device (105) displays the information data. A memory (103) stores the information data. An

INDEPENDENT CLAIM is also included for new and old version *data* *link* *information* *management* method.

USE - For management of new and old version *data* *link* information.

ADVANTAGE - The information data is easily searched because of the classification done by the information control unit. The information data is linked easily and modification is made easy by the pointing device.

DESCRIPTION OF DRAWING(S) - The figure shows the block diagram of *information* *management* apparatus. (101) Information control unit; (103) Memory; (103b) Information data; (104) Information processor; (105) Output device.

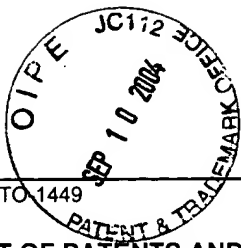
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	A3	"The Data Link Interface", Network Programmer's Guide, http://grove.ufl.edu/usr/share/doclib/online/DOCS/HTML/APS2WDTE/DOCU_005.HTM
	A4	"D.7 Program specification blocks for GDDM applications", IBM Book Manager Book Server Copyright 1989, 1996 IBM Corporation

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